

LOCAL ITEMS.

EXCURSION PARTY.—The President, Chief Engineer, and several of the Directors of the Orange, Alexandria and Manassas Railroad Company, accompanied by a number of other prominent citizens, and three or four gentlemen from Maryland, left the depot, in this city, at eight o'clock this morning, on a special train, for Mount Jackson, the present terminus of the Manassas branch, and to which point the cars are now running regularly. The train was in charge of the popular and efficient conductor, John Jones, assisted by John Fossett. Master Mechanic James E. Wadley also accompanied the party, and M. M. McLean went along as commissary, a position for which he is eminently fitted. The party expect to reach Mt. Jackson this evening, and will spend to-morrow at that place and in the vicinity, examining the work on the road, and enjoying the mountain breezes and beautiful scenery. They will return to this city on Thursday evening. They took along with them all that was necessary to make the trip a most agreeable one, and will doubtless have a fine time.

THE COUNTY MAP.—We learn that the Commissioners recently appointed by the County Court to superintend the preparation of a large map of the County of Alexandria have requested the Principal of St. John's Academy to employ the young gentlemen engaged in that study of surveying and engineering in that school in running the lines connected with the preliminary surveys. This will be a pretty tough job, but we hope our young friends will enter upon it with spirit, as the request is a high compliment to their abilities in that line, and the practice in field work and the acquaintance with the topography of the county they will obtain, will be worth more to them in after life, than a whole year of mere school study.

GENERALS ON THE MOVE.—The Southern bound train on the Orange, Alexandria and Manassas Railroad this morning had four distinguished military gentlemen on board: Gen. Rosecrans, on his way to the White Sulphur Springs; Gen. Longstreet, to pay a visit to Col. John W. Fairfax, of Loudoun, a former member of his staff; Gen. Ewell, to see his relatives in Prince William county, Va.; and Gen. Hutton, returning to his home in Warrenton. Each had been made familiar with the country through which they passed to day by personal experiences.

A. L. & H. R. R.—The work of laying the track on the Merceus extension of the Alexandria, Loudoun and Hampshire Railroad is progressing rapidly. The track is already completed to where the road crosses the turnpike, about a mile beyond Leesburg, and after the erection of one or two culverts, near that point, operations will be prosecuted with vigor, and will be uninterrupted until the extension is finished, and the trade of that fertile section of country secured to this city.

POTOMAC GARDENS.—A grand ball was given at Potomac Gardens, last night, which was largely attended, and every thing passed off quietly. The number present was unusually large, and many new faces were observed among the crowd of merry dancers. The festivities were prolonged until nearly three o'clock this morning.

THE AQUEDUCT.—The Georgetown correspondent of the Washington Star says lumber has arrived at the southern end of the aqueduct for the purpose of strengthening the structure. It is contemplated to erect an arch under each span, and workmen are now preparing the timber for that purpose.

DAMAGE TO THE "BROWN SHED."—The building at the local freight depot of the Orange, Alexandria and Manassas Railroad, on Union street, known as the brown shed, was considerably damaged this morning by a locomotive employed there. Nearly one fourth of the front of the building was torn down.

UNION STREET.—The repairs to Union street, now in progress, have been completed as far as the freight depot of the Orange, Alexandria and Manassas Railroad. The improvement is only to extend as far as the north side of Queen street, but by all means should be produced to Princess street.

FUNERAL OF A SAILOR.—The body of Alfred Malhotier, of the French barque Ferriere, whose sudden death was announced yesterday, was buried from St. Mary's Church on Sunday morning. Rev. Peter Kroes addressed the sailors in the French language on the occasion.

BOY OVERBOARD.—A youngster named Cleaveland Owings, while playing at Janney's dock, early this morning, accidentally fell overboard, and would have drowned had it not been for Mr. John Allen, who plunged into the river and dragged him out.

SEYMOUR AND BLAIR FLAG.—The ladies of the First Ward are requested to prepare a flag to be thrown to the breeze from the Seymour and Blair pole, to be erected, as soon as the flag is finished, on Windmill Hill.

CANAL COMMERCE.—Canal navigation is again open to Cumberland, and boats from that point arrived here this morning, loaded with coal. A large fleet of boats is on its way down the canal, and will arrive to-morrow.

PERSONAL.—The Rev. Dr. Charles B. Dore, for so many years before the war the beloved rector of Christ Church, is on a visit to his connections residing near this city.

POLICE REPORT.—MAYOR'S OFFICE.—Samuel Davis, a colored boy, for fighting in the streets, on Sunday morning last, near Recker's brewery, was fined and discharged.

Edgy Wheeler, a colored boy, for fighting in the streets on Sunday morning last, near Recker's brewery, was fined and discharged. Stephen Brodley and Stephen Thomas, two colored boys, hailing from Philadelphia, and representing themselves as on the look-out for work, arrested as suspicious characters, were discharged upon a promise to quit the city.

A colored man, a hand on board Captain Trice's vessel, for disorderly conduct, was dismissed, and costs of case assessed against the complainant. Sarah Hart, for disorderly conduct, was sent to the Work House for ninety days. Lewis Trisler, was committed to the Poor's House.

JUMPED INTO THE RIVER.—A colored sailor having got into a disturbance on the strand last night, in order to extricate himself from an uncomfortable predicament, "got out of the frying pan into the fire," by jumping from King street wharf into the river, in which, though a good swimmer, he was nearly drowned in consequence of the heavy clothes he was wearing. He was rescued.

DISTURBANCE.—Considerable disturbance was created on Royal street, near the City Hotel, late last night, but no arrests were made. The affair was reported to the Mayor this morning, and parties to its repetition will be properly dealt with.

BASE BALL.—The sound of drums, on King street yesterday evening, was occasioned by the beating of these instruments by a colored base ball club from Washington, who were on a visit to this city.

KNOCKED DOWN AND ROBBED.—Aman P. J. Riley, proprietor of the First and Last Chance Restaurant, was knocked down and robbed of between thirty and forty dollars on the upper end of Washington street, late last night.

COLORADO EXCURSION.—The steamer Winimist, with a large colored excursion from Washington on board, passed here this morning on her way to the White House.

UNITED STATES SALE.—At a government sale, this morning, a lot of apple brandy, seized for violation of Internal Revenue laws, brought \$1.55 per gallon.

CIRCUIT COURT.—The August term of the Circuit Court for this county will commence to-morrow evening at six o'clock.

HORSE THEFT.—Two valuable horses were stolen from the pasture of Maj. S. J. Stuart, near Chantilly, on Saturday night last.

WASH BOILER.—A patented wash boiler is for sale by Mr. Clarkson, who has the exclusive right in this place. It works admirably, and will be very useful in families. It is called the Eureka. Mr. C. will loan it for trial to any one wishing to know its merits. By the use of this boiler "wash boards" are superseded.

ALE.—Some of the finest ale ever manufactured at this season of the year, is now at Mr. Martin's Brewery. Dealers and families can be supplied.

WATERMELONS.—Mr. Simpson has at his watermelon depot, on Royal street, near the market house, a large supply of splendid watermelons, a sample of which he sent us to-day.

LIST OF LETTERS.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the Alexandria, Va., Postoffice, August 15, 1868.

Persons calling for letters will please say they are advertised, and give the date of the list.

Blackburn, Basil
Bratt, Francis E.
Baldwin, Geo. P.
Barbee, Geo. W.
Barbee, James—2
Bush, John
Brent, Mrs. Lucy P.
Belmont, Mary E.
Benson, F. A.
Burger, Dr. Paul
Baker, Richard
Bolt, Wm—2
Cole, Ann R.
Carter & Byrnes
Canaway, Mildred
Canel, J. A.
Collett, Mary
Clind, Shiple & Co.
Cook, William
Dickerson, Ezekiel
David, Geo. W.
Dugan, Mrs. John
Davis, Leanna
Duston, Silas
Earley, Fannie
Edmonds, Henry G—2
Fauntleroy, Mrs. C. M.
Fields, Hannah
Field, Mary Ann
Griffith, Agt.
Gooding, Amanda
Green, Bessy
Garrett, Geo. W.
Green, John
Grymes, Lucy and Rose
Grove, Mrs. Daniel
Gooding, M. L.
Henson, Alcinda
Hunter & Co., Messrs.
Haney, Delia
Hubert, Eliza
Hill, Evelina
Hunt, Mrs. Merril E.
Harrison, M. E.
Hullings, Wm H.
Herbert, Wm.
Keach, Annie
Kelley, Geoam
aug 15
W. D. MASSEY, P. M.

CHEAP HAMS.

1000 OLD-SUGAR-CURED HAMS just received on consignment, sound and good, selling at 16c per lb. Call and see them if you want a good cheap ham. For sale by
J. H. GEMENY,
General Commission Merchant, No. 5, between King and Prince, River Front. aug 11

JOSHUA H. D. SMOOT,
(Formerly of and successor to Smoot, Uhler & Co.)
LUMBER DEALER,
No. 21, Union street,
(Between King and Cameron).
aug 10—tf Alexandria, Va.

HARDWARE, CUTLERY, &c.

We have on hand a large and well-assorted Stock of Goods in our line, and are selling nearly all classes of Building Hardware at reduced prices. Terms cash.
J. C. BRIGHTON & SON,
aug 12—tf

CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES.
I have just received another lot of Children's Carriages from New York and Philadelphia factories, which cannot be surpassed in beauty, strength or price.
aug 12—tf C. C. BERRY, 72, King st.

B. F. BRUNER.

LUMBER MERCHANT.
All kinds of Lumber constantly on hand, and sold at the lowest market rates.
Fronting on Union and Duke sts., Jas. Green & Son's old stand.
sep 17

BARGAINS IN DRY GOODS.

We are now offering our large assortment of FIRST-CLASS DRY GOODS, at very low prices, to make room for fall stock.
ROBERT L. WOOD,
aug 30 Corner King and Fairfax streets.

PRESERVING KETTLES. We have on hand a supply of Bell Metal, Brass and Porcelain Lined Preserving Kettles, to which we invite attention.
aug 12—tf J. T. CREIGHTON & SON, 88, King street.

MOSQUITO NETS. WITH ALL OF THE MOST IMPROVED FIXTURES.
J. P. CLARKES,
168, King street.
aug 18—tf

NOTE PAPER AND ENVELOPES. neatly stamped in old English text, at 25c per sheet, and 25c a pack for Envelopes, with a large stock of Stationery, at
ROBERT L. WOOD, 61, King street.
aug 16

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE FROM WASHINGTON.

General Rosecrans—Contradiction—Suicide.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—Gen. Rosecrans, the recently appointed Minister to Mexico, left this city this morning, via the Orange and Alexandria Railroad, for the Greenbrier White Sulphur Springs, where he will only remain, however, a day or two, returning on Thursday. Gen. Lee is at the White Sulphur, and report has it that the Generals will exchange views as to the present status and future political prospects of the South, and the best means of restoring peace and prosperity to this section of the Union.

The statement published in the papers of this city, and telegraphed to the Northern press, to the effect that the French and Prussian Ministers resident here had received cable dispatches indicating a war as likely to arise between those two countries, and asserting that Agents of the French Government in this country are buying up horses and forage, is pronounced by Minister Berthemy to be without the slightest foundation in fact; that the relations between the two countries are perfectly amicable, and that no agent of the French Government is authorized to make any purchases of the articles named whatever. The report is an entire fabrication.

The suicide mania appears to be on the increase. This morning early a bar-keeper on 11th street, near the Avenue, was found dead in his bed, having shot himself during the night, with a pistol, in the mouth, the ball coming out of the back part of the head, and making a shocking wound. The man left a will, several letters, &c.

Fire in Philadelphia.
PHILADELPHIA, August 13.—The extensive store of Collins & Robb, Nos. 240 and 242 North Front street, were entirely destroyed by fire this morning. The total loss is from \$150,000 to \$200,000. Collins & Robb were insured for \$60,000. This will cover their loss, including 200,000 pounds of shoulders, and 700 packages of lard, hams and smoked beef. Bullock & Bros had 500 sacks of fine wool stored in the building; loss \$60,000. George E. Shewell had on storage stearine and lard upon which there was no insurance. There was also cotton belonging to Messrs. Cloghoun, which was insured. The building was the most substantial character, and the walls remain without a brick displaced.

COMMERCIAL.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 13.—Cotton firm and active, sales 15,000 bales. Lard firm and advanced 6d.—it is now quoted at 67s. Yarns and fabrics at Manchester firm. Wheat declining; California white 12s 6d; western red 11s. Corn quiet, and steady.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Flour 54 1/2 lower. Wheat 14 1/2 lower. Corn market is one cent better. Pork dull and heavy at \$23.50. Lard a shade firmer at 13 1/2. Cotton a shade firmer; middling uplands 30c. Freights dull.

BAITMORE, Aug. 13.—Cotton firm, but prices unchanged. Flour quiet, and unchanged. Prime to choice wheat 26 1/2; other grades dull and prices declining. Corn steady; prime white 11 1/2; yellow 11 1/2. Oats dull at 70s. Rye, Maryland and Virginia 150. Provisions unchanged.

FINANCIAL.

LONDON, Aug. 13.—Consols for money, 94; for account, 94 1/2. U. S. 5-20s, 71 1/2; American securities generally easier.

FRANKFORT, Aug. 13.—U. S. 5-20s dull at 74 1/2.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Stocks steady but very dull. Money easy at 4 1/2 per cent. Gold 46 1/2. 5-20s, old 13 1/2; new 13 1/2. 10-40s registered 10 1/2; Coupons 10 1/2; North Carolina, old 73; new 72; Virginia coupon 54; new 53 1/2; Tennessee coupon 64; new 63 1/2.

BALTIMORE, August 13.—Virginia 6s, old inscribed 46 1/2; 46 1/2 asked; do, 1866, 46 1/2; 47 1/2; do, 1867, 45 1/2; 45 1/2 asked; do, Coupon old, 53; 54 1/2; do, new 53 1/2. North Carolina 6s, new 71 1/2 bid.

Gold.

New York, August 13.—Gold to-day 146 1/2.

The House of Representatives of South Carolina has passed a bill putting the negroes of the State on an equal footing with the whites. The negro members demand the right of hotel tables, beds and all licensed places.

The remains of Thaddeus Stevens were yesterday interred in the cemetery at Lancaster, Pa. Twenty thousand persons are reported to have joined in the funeral procession.

CITY ITEMS.

CHEAP CLOTHING.—As the season progresses Blondheim, corner King and Fairfax sts., offers his large and complete stock of Summer Clothing, at greatly reduced prices. His stock embraces every variety of fashionably made Garments for business and dress suits. Persons in want of ready-made Clothing will find it to their interest to examine and price his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

TRAVELLING TRUNKS.—Fine Sole Leather Trunks, Ladies Dress Trunks, Packing Trunks, Valises, Leather Bags, Satchels, &c., in every variety, at
S. DRAKMAN'S,
108, King st.

GREAT BARGAINS.—S. Dealman, 103, King street, is selling off his large stock of Summer Clothing at cost, in order to make room for fall stock. Don't miss your chances. jy 10

MARRIED.
On the 9th inst., at the residence of the bride's uncle, Mr. A. Rosenthal, by Rev. Mr. Loewensohn, Mr. HERMAN REIZMAN, of Front Royal, Va., and Miss THEKLA AUERBACH, of this place.

TAKE NOTICE.—Sealed proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, on the 28th of August next, for the lease of MARSH HALL FISHERY for the term of three or five years. The Fishery is situated on the Potomac river, north of the junction of the Neabsco Creek, and between Freestone Point and High Point, and has heretofore been a profitable fishery.

Suitable and convenient buildings will be erected prior to the 1st of February, 1869, at the cost of the owner.

Persons making proposals for the lease will name satisfactory reference as to their ability for placing an outfit on the shore and fishing the same, or security will be required for the performance of the contract.

Direct to Messrs. BRENT & WATLES, Attorneys, Alexandria, or to JOHN NAGLEE, Neabsco Mills, Prince William co., Va.
aug 1—coid

FOR SALE OR RENT.

FOR SALE.
The neat and desirable four-story FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, N. W. corner Wolfe and Pitt streets. Price \$750. Also, that desirable BUILDING LOT, N. E. corner Wolfe and St. Asaph streets, opposite to Francis L. Smith, esq. Price \$350. Terms cash. Apply at the N. W. corner Wolfe and Pitt sts. aug 17—1w

FOR RENT.
At Culpeper Court House, Va., the rooms occupied by B. H. Freddie as a coach factory. There is none in town. Also, BRICK BAKERY. LEWIS P. NELSON, Culpeper C. H. Va. aug 8—coid

VERY DESIRABLE DWELLING
FOR SALE.—The dwelling house on the west side of Pitt st., between King and Prince, is now offered for sale at a very low price. The property is in good repair, has a fine cellar, water and gas, cistern in yard, 2 1/2 acres, fruit trees and a chamberlain. Also, a good horse mill 9 feet wide, is well located. Persons in search of a good dwelling at a very moderate price will do well by calling at once at our office. GREEN & WISE, Real Estate Agts., aug 7 Mansion House Building.

FOR RENT.
The two-story BRICK HOUSE, on the north side of Cameron street, near the corner of Union. Rent moderate. Possession given immediately. Apply to GREEN & WISE, Real Estate Agents, Mansion House Building, aug 7

FOR RENT.
The Wheelwright and Blacksmith shop on Pitt street, near Queen. For terms apply to ROBERT HODGKIN, 35, Queen street. aug 7—coid

FOR RENT.
For a term of 14 or 21 years, THIRTY ACRES OF LAND, and Machinery for making Drain Tiles of all Patterns, Chimney Pots, Bricks, &c. Located on the Bank of the Washington Canal, between Alexandria and Washington. Machinery: Portable live horse power Steam Engine, Pug Mill, Pipe making Machinery, Moulds, Brick Press, &c., and Circular Saw attachable at will. Apply to GREEN & WISE, Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers, aug 1—coid

FOR RENT.
The fine BRICK DWELLING, No. 6 south Water street, formerly the residence of Hugh Latham, in good repair; water and gas. Apply to J. G. VERPLANCK, Room 123, Mansion House. jy 6—tf

WANTED TO RENT OR PURCHASE
A genteel and small DWELLING HOUSE, in this place. Address Box 149. mh 9—tf

ROOMS FOR RENT.—Three rooms for rent over the Assembly Rooms. Apply to my 19—tf WITMER & SLAYMAKER.

THE ASSEMBLY ROOMS have just been fitted up and are now for rent for LECTURES, CONCERTS, FAIRS, &c. Apply to my 16—tf WITMER & SLAYMAKER.

EXCURSIONS, &c.

A GRAND TOURNAMENT & PICNIC
AT CARLIN'S SPRINGS,
WILL BE GIVEN BY
JEFFERSON CIRCLE, No. 2,
B. U. (H. F. C. A.)
ON MONDAY, AUGUST 24, 1868.

Trains will leave the Loudoun Depot, in this city, at 8 and 9 o'clock, a. m., and 3 and 7 p. m. Trains will leave the Springs at 9 o'clock a. m., and 2 and 6 p. m.

Fifty knights will enter the lists. The charge to the knights will be delivered by Col. M. D. Ball, of Fairfax Court House; the coronation address by Col. John S. Mosby, of Fauquier; Judges, Capt. W. H. Dulany, Hon. Hugh Latham, Arthur Broadwater, esq., Marshal, Capt. John Barnes, of Fairfax Court House.

Prizes—A superb Crown to the Queen, and a splendid piece of Plate to the most successful knight.

A fine band of music will be in attendance. The best Cotillon music has been engaged for the pavilion. Refreshments will be furnished by Mr. Carlin. Committee of Arrangements.—K. T. Lucas, Charles Cox, Henry Strauss, George Duffhy, Henry Herndon.

Executive Committee.—R. H. Warden, Sam'l. Coleman, Frank Powers, James Gale, W. H. Underwood, George W. Henry, Luther D. Harrison, B. E. Gillis, S. P. Glover, Samuel M. Mather, Wm. T. Kidwell, J. M. Matthews, Reubens, Hugh Latham, John A. Arnold, John Field, Otto Portner, John Sullivan, John A. Geib, Joseph Bragger, Simon Blondheim, A. H. Bingham, John Stennell, B. F. Goods.

Floor Managers.—M. H. Nash, Jefferson Circle; R. H. Warden, Mt. Vernon; Amos Fox, Fairfax Court House.

Several SPLENDID PRIZES will be given. Tickets can be procured of the Committee of Arrangements, and at the gates of the A. L. & H. R. R. Depot. aug 6—coid

WOOD AND COAL.

REMOVAL.

The yarder has removed his WOOD and COAL YARD from Prince street to Nos. 38 and 40, south Royal street, where he has leased the entire yard. He will keep constantly on hand a supply of PINE, OAK and HICKORY WOOD, and also a full stock of LYKENS VALLEY RED and WHITE ASH COAL. Lehigh and Locust Mountain White Ash, stove and egg size, to arrive per schr Mary Priscilla, for sale from the vessel cash for cash. aug 13 A. S. PERPENER.

WOOD AND COAL.

200 tons Lorry Red Ash.
200 tons Locust Mountain White Ash.
50 tons Cumberland Run of Mine and Lump Coal, in the yard and daily expected.
Also, a full stock of Spruce, White Wood, on wharf and for sale by R. H. GEMENY, jy 6—tf On River Front.

WOOD!
PINE, OAK and HICKORY WOOD! of superior quality, delivered in lots to suit at lowest market rates. Orders left at the Gazette office, and at the JAS. CHAMBERS' COAL YARD, No. 5, between King and Prince, will be promptly filled. On River Front.

COAL!
COAL!
CARGO OF LYKENS VALLEY, arrived, and now unloading at Smoot & Uhler's wharf, at all times, by J. LEATHERLAND, 26 King street.

\$20 REWARD!—A reward of \$20 will be paid for the recovery, or information that will lead to the recovery, of a SORELL MARK with a blue face, four white feet, collar mark on left shoulder, and knuckled in the left hind foot, which was stolen from Cloud's Mill on Saturday evening last.
BENJ. JACKSON, Cloud's Mill.
aug 17—tf

FOR SALE.
A first rate pair of family CARRIAGE HORSES, the owner having no further use for them. Apply at JAS. CHAMBERS' COAL YARD, aug 17—1w Livery Stable, Alex., Va.

THOSE having claims against the estate of JOHN M. JOHNSON, dec'd., will please send them properly authenticated to Robert Jamieson, 97, King street, Alexandria, Va., aug 17—1w A. H. JOHNSON.

GREEN GINGER—a fresh supply just received and for sale by
COOK & KELLEY, 107, King street.
aug 17—tf

BURLINGTON SUGAR-CURED HERRING, smoked, just received and for sale by
AVERY & DAVIDSON, 226, King st., cor. Alfred.
aug 17—tf

LEWIS PURE WHITE LEAD—80 kegs just received and for sale by
COOK & KELLEY, 107, King street.
aug 17—tf

GRIMAUD & CO.'S IODATED SYRUP OF HORSE RADISH, for sale by
WARFIELD & DRUGGISTS, aug 11

CIDER VINEGAR—Just received ten bbls pure Cider Vinegar, for sale by
BREWIS & LAWSON, aug 13

AUCTION SALES.

By Green & Wise.
(Real Estate Auctioneers.)
BEAUTIFUL FARM, 185 ACRES, IN FAIRFAX COUNTY, NEAR ALEXANDRIA, FOR SALE.—In execution of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, rendered at June Term, 1868, in the case of Barber vs. Barber and others, a good and desirable tract of said county, of said county, situated at October term, 1860, in the same case, I will offer for sale, at public auction, on SATURDAY, the 5th day of September next, at 11 o'clock a. m., in front of the Mayor's office, in the city of Alexandria, that beautiful tract of land, known as "THE MEADOWS." It is situated immediately opposite to Cloud's Mill, on the south side of the Little River Turnpike, by which it is bounded on the North; and is bounded on the east and south by the waters of "Little Run" and "Back Lick Run" and contains thereon a very good and comfortable DWELLING HOUSE, (upon a lofty eminence, in the front of a beautiful grove), and all needful outbuildings, such as stables, corn houses, &c., &c. The place is too well-known to require further description.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-fourth of the purchase money must be paid in cash; the residue in three equal payments, at six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale; the deferred payments to bear interest, and the title to be retained, until all said payments are made.
LAWRENCE B. TAYLOR, Trustee.
aug 1—coid

By J. H. Parrott, Auctioneer.
COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE IN ALEXANDRIA.—Under authority of a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, Va., rendered at its May Term, 1868, in the suit of Barroda vs. Fowle et al., the undersigned, as Commissioner, will sell at public auction, on SATURDAY, the 22nd day of August, 1868, at 12 o'clock, in front of the Mayor's office, in the city of Alexandria, Va., the following described property in said city:

1. One undivided HALF OF SQUARE OF GROUND, bounded by Wolfe, Wilkes, Fayette and Payne streets.

2. One undivided HALF OF SQUARE OF GROUND, bounded by Wolfe, Wilkes, Payne and West streets.

3. One undivided third part of the LOT OF GROUND, at the southeast corner of Gibson and Water streets, containing 88 feet 3/4 inches, and extending therefrom into the Potomac river. This lot is held and claimed by a purchaser under tax sale by the U. S. Direct Tax Commissioners, and the undivided third will be sold subject to said claim.

4. The property at the southeast intersection of Prince and Alfred streets, extending on Prince east from the said intersection, about 100 feet, and running back 100 feet to an alley. This last property will be offered in several parcels, according to a plat to be exhibited at sale.

TERMS.—One-third of the purchase-money to be paid in cash; the residue in three equal payments at six, twelve and eighteen months respectively from day of sale, with interest, the purchaser to give his bonds for the deferred payments, and the title to be retained as security for their payment.
S. FERGUSON BEACH, Commissioner.
jy 21—coid

PRINCE WILLIAM LAND.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Prince William county, entered on the 12th day of May, 1868, in a suit in chancery therein pending, in which Joseph J. Cockrell and others are plaintiffs, and William Coleman and others are defendants, the undersigned Commissioners will sell before the front door of the Court House of said county, on MONDAY, the 4th day of September, 1868, that being Court day, at public auction, to the highest bidder, the following TRACTS or PARCELS OF LAND, to wit:

A TRACT OF SEVENTY ACRES, situated on the road leading from Bradley to Standley, adjoining the lands of Jason Ketchum and others, about 3 miles from the village of Manassas, and is covered with wood and timber.

A TRACT OF SEVEN ACRES, situated on Piney branch, adjoining the lands of John Fair and others, about 3 miles from the village of Manassas, and is covered with wood and timber; and

A TRACT OF TWENTY-EIGHT ACRES, adjoining the lands of Joseph J. Cockrell and others, about 3 miles from the village of Manassas, about one half cleared, and the remainder in wood and timber. On the following

TERMS.—One-fourth cash, and the remainder on a credit of one and two years, with interest from the day of sale, the purchaser to give bond and security for the deferred payments, and the title to be retained as a further security therefor.
J. J. COCKRELL, A. NICOL, Comm'rs.
Prince William co., aug 1—coid

PUBLIC SALE OF PRINCE